

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: DRAWING MANAGEMENT DEVICE HAVING

ABILITY TO RETRIEVE AND DISPLAY A DESIRED

AMOUNT OF DATA WITHIN A DESIRED DISPLAY TIME

Art Unit: 2671

Examiner: C. Vo

## **AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

23 July 2001

Sir:

In response to the Office Action having a USPTO mailing date of 25 April 2001, the following is respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended replacement Claim 11.

11 (Once Amended) A drawing display device, comprising a means for generating a three-dimensional retrieval icon for respective sub-drawings, and a means for displaying the three-dimensional retrieval icon thus generated, wherein an amount of data in the respective sub-drawings is indicated by a dimension of each respective displayed retrieval icon.